

### **BOARD MEETING**

11:00 am, Tuesday, June 23, 2020 Conference Room 1, City Offices, 333 6th St SW, Willmar

### **AGENDA**

1.	Call meet	ing to order	••••••	President Liz VanDerBill				
2.	Additions	or Deletions to Agend	President VanDerBill					
3.		genda 1. Minutes of 5/ 2. May 2020 Fina	19/2020 Board Me	President VanDerBill eeting				
4.	Additions/	Deletions/Approve Co	onsent Agenda	President VanDerBill				
	Old Busin	ess:						
6.	New Business:  Downtown Street Feast PartnershipVicki Davi Blue Cross Blue Shield Monument PartnershipSarah Swedburg ParklettesPresident VanDerBil							
8.	<b>Updates:</b> Artists on	Main Street		Janet Olney/Pablo Obregon				
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10	.Staff Repo	ort	•••••	Sarah Swedburg				
11	.Miscellany	,						
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Next Meeting: July 21st at 11am

Willmar Main Street Board Meeting May 19, 2020

Members Present: Vicki Davis, Liz VanDerBill, Janet Olney, Taylor Williamson, Pablo Obregon,

Jill Wohnoutka

Others: Sarah Swedburg

The meeting was called to order by President Liz VanDerBill

There was no additions or deletions to Agenda.

Consent Agenda motion to approve and seconded and motion passed.

1. Minutes of 4/21/2020

2. April 2020 Financials

#### Old Business:

- 3. Bylaws: A question was asked about the number of people on the board and the terms. It was clarified that the total would be seven and it would be 3,3, and 2 in each term. And this was only for the beginning and not always. The motion was made by Pablo Obregon and seconded by Taylor Williamson to accept the by-laws as written with changes made per Williamson's request. The motion passed.
- 4. Volunteer Job Description: After no questions, there was a motion to approve the sub-committee role description and board committee board role description was made by Janet Olney and seconded by Taylor Williamson. The motion passed.

#### **New Business:**

- 5. Rethos Downtown Assessment Agreement: We would have received \$4000 from Rethos but with current situation we will use \$4000 from our surplus from 2019. We had already budgeted \$6000 for this project. This assessment would help identify what needs to be address to help the downtown area thrive. It would be broken down into different priorities and timelines. This will help compliment the City's comprehensive plan. One product would a map that highlights all the entities included in downtown Willmar. The timeline for this project should be December 2020. Extra time is put into project to allow of COVID-19 delays. This is a contract for us to go into with Rethos. Question asked about when the payment was expected from Rethos. A motion to go forward with the agreement was made and seconded. The motion passed.
- 6. Use of sidewalks/streets for downtown business: How can we help our downtown restaurants when they are able to reopen? The city requires proof of insurance for having tables outside of their building. It would have them use the parking lots. How can we help them with social distance in the outside? The draft is being worked on for a new ordinance. The draft will go to the community development committee and go through two city council meetings. They want to extend definition of outdoor space and business can apply. Hope to have this in working order in June sometime. This is allowing for every business to have access and can be used daily. This would be for food vendors only. A motion to bring allowance of park-let on public parking spaces for the support of this project was made and seconded. The motion passed.

### **Updates:**

7. Artists on Main Street: The applications were due last Friday and they are meeting a week from today to determine who receives a grant. They had 15 applications

this year compared to 12 or 13 applications last year. Majority of the applicants were new.

- 8. 2020 Work Plan Groups:
  - a. Economic Vitality: Already discussed
  - b. Marketing & Promotions: Social media is going well. Highlight National Historic Preservation month.
  - c. Design: NAd. Organization: NA
- 9. Staff Report: Working on the new ordinance for businesses discussed above. Review volunteer suggestions and going to approach more. Approach the business as a member and they are responsible for providing a person. Quick Trip is moving along and not award of opening date. We had \$4000 to award and give to: Spurs, Hagen Orthopedics, Amin Grocery, Barn Theater, and Sergio Cuts.

Next Meeting is Tuesday, June 16,2020

Meeting is adjourned at 11:39am.

Secretary, Jill Wohnoutka CITY OF WILLMAR

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### Board Meeting Sarah Swedburg, Staff Report June 23, 2020

#### Renaissance Zone Update

Phase 2 of the Renaissance Zone Ordinances & Policies are being drafted by the City Attorney. Likely, the next set of documents ready for Council approval will be Tax Abatement & City-Owned Land Sale policies. This will set a clear initiative that the City wants to continue to see development in the Renaissance Zone to meet our objectives of vibrancy, density, more activity, etc.

### **Downtown Assessment**

The budget amendments to utilize a portion of 2019 Main Street funds for the downtown assessment were approved by the Finance Committee on June 18th. This budget amendment will receive final council approval on July 6th. Once the budget is amended, the assessment agreement can be signed/approved by staff. In speaking with Rethos, it is past practice for them to invoice for the cost of the project (\$10,000) at the end of the process.

Staff will be working with Rethos to begin planning some of the more fine details regarding the assessment so they can finish planning their calendar & prepare to begin!

### **Board/Subcommittee Member Search**

Staff has reached out to 5 downtown businesses (Barn Theatre, Engan & Associates, Heritage Bank, Royal Cutz Barbershop, and Carris Health) to inquire about their interest in serving on the board or a subcommittee. The Barn Theatre & Royal Cutz Barbershop have expressed interest so far & I'm working to reconnect with the other three businesses. For those that would be willing to commit, I would like them to attend the July 22nd Main Street Basics workshop & plan for them to also attend the July 21st Board meeting, at which we would approve their appointments.

### **Upcoming Rethos Webinars**

July 8 - "Train the Trainer" - Business Succession Planning with UMN Extension
July 22 - Main Street Basics (2 hours) - This is a great training to understand MN Main
Street. If you are a board member & haven't attended, I would highly encourage you to listen
in. This is a very accessible way for you to participate in this training without having to travel
to another City for a full day of training!